



Put a **lid** on trash:

New trash collection rules start **April 3rd**.
Help keep Cambridge streets clean and safe:

CAN it:

- Trash placed at the curb the night before collection **must** be in rodent resistant barrels with **tight-fitting lids**.

BAG it:

- Trash in **plastic bags** can only be placed at the curb on the **day of collection, no later than 7am**. Only heavy duty plastic bags will be collected.

TIME it:

- Trash in rodent resistant, covered barrels cannot be placed on the curb until **6pm** the night before collection.

City Ordinance limits the weight of filled trash barrels to 50 pounds in order to protect rubbish workers from injury.

Why?

Working together, we can reduce rodent problems, protect public health and ensure cleaner streets.



- You can **reduce about half of your trash** by recycling all paper; cardboard; and rinsed glass, metal and plastic containers. Recycling is easy and the law in Cambridge.
- If you do not comply, you will be in violation of City Ordinance and could receive **finest of \$25 per day**.





Get a can for \$12!

Bring this postcard for a 32-gallon trash barrel for \$12 at these local hardware stores:

- **TAGS Ace Hardware**, 26 White St. (Porter Sq.)
- **Economy Hardware**, 438 Mass. Ave. (Central Sq.)
- **Dickson Bros.**, 26 Brattle St. (Harvard Sq.)
- **Inman Square Hardware**, 1337 Cambridge St.
- **Pills Ace Hardware**, 743 Mass. Ave. (Central Sq.)

Coupon expires June 30, 2006. Offer valid only at these participating stores. Store will determine applicable product. Limit 2 per customer.

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